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Part B for March 1930.

SUBJECT

Report on the Leprosy Relief work done.

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ROUTINE NOTES.

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Report of the British Empire Leprosy Relief Association, (Indian Council) for the Year 1927.

Submitted for perusal.

Jm, 17/7/28 — pages 6 & 15 contain the dealer report.

2nd member) 19/7

I should like to see the literature indicating the respective functions of the All India + Provincial committees — Have we a Provincial Committee here? Is it doing any work? Can we get any grant from the Central Committee?

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57 Ys —

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ROUTINE NOTES.

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DEWAN'S OFFICE
Received on
19 JUL 1928
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Report of the British Empire Leprosy Relief Association, (Indian Council) for the Year 1927.

(Pages 149 & 150 contain matters of local Report

Submitted for perusal.

17/7/28 Dewan) 18/7

2) We must try to show more substantial progress than depicted in the report. Please put up a note as required.

Drawing S.S. already did.
24-7-28

Early
23/7/28
No V077

Okay, W.D.Z 3) Subs: The note ~~put up~~ in the report is based on the report furnished by the Secretary and ~~reply~~ on certain points asked for by the Leprosy Relief Association. The lines on which the report is to be drawn up is for review may the Vice Surgeon be consulted

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Dewan
18/8/28

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ROUTINE NOTES.

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Submitted with a note—
Jam KD 8) After revision
22/8/28 by the Asst Secy
the draft note will be
sot typed and referenced
before submission
KD
22/8 9) please type ver
for me & will return
the clean copy
with
19/1.

) Submitted with a typed
note with references
Jam
31/8/28

11) Subject will be noted
accordingly.

VS
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Th W Menon

RG.
3/9/28

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In due course please
be written to
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13) Earl

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LEPROSY RELIEF IN INDIA.

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Shortly after the inauguration of the - - British Empire Leprosy Relief Association in - England under the patronage of H. R. H. the - Prince of Wales, His Excellency the Viceroy -- (Lord Reading) inaugurated an Indian Council - of the Leprosy Relief Association on the 27th January 1925. The constitution of the Council is given in the pamphlet flagged A. The - objects of the Indian Council are explained by His Excellency the Viceroy at his inaugural -- address and are as follows:-

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pp 5-6.

(a) The promotion of further research into the causes and treatment of Leprosy.

(b) The devising of means whereby the results of this research may be effectively communicated to the Medical profession throughout India.

(c) The establishment of institutions - - such as Out-Patient Skin Clinics - and Dispensaries for the treatment of patients by the new methods, the extension of existing institutions or the founding of new ones - - wherein those very numerous cases of leprosy which constitute a positive danger to the public may be segregated.

(d) The provision of assistance to those institutions founded with humanitarian purpose of providing a home - for lepers who have reached the -- more hopeless stage of deformity.

(e) The consideration of means whereby - the manufacture of the special -- drugs used in the modern treatment of this disease may be cheapened - and extended.

(f) The prosecution of an ardent campaign of enlightenment which will bring the elementary facts of this dis- ease as revealed by modern re- - - search to the knowledge of the - - whole Indian community.

2. The executive committee of the Indian Council thereupon laid down the following fundamental principles for its guidance:-

(a) That as observed by His Excellency -- the Viceroy in his inaugural - - speech, the aims of the Indian - - Council is to capitalise the entire collections and to spend only the revenue thereof.

(b) That the primary obligation of the -- Indian Council is the effective -- discharge of its duty to India as a whole.

3. The executive committee thereupon resolved that for the immediate future the Council should concentrate on -

i. Research,

ii. Provision of a short term course of -- training in the diagnosis and treatment of Leprosy.

iii. Propaganda.

4. The Association has arranged for the - training of doctors in the treatment of Leprosy

in the School of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene, Calcutta. With a view to afford easy access to the doctors of South India arrangement for a similar training has been made at Dichapalli in the Hyderabad State.

5. The Indian Council sent appeals to the provinces to form local councils and to collect subscriptions for the formation of a Central Leprosy Fund. In response to the above, meetings were held in Bangalore and Mysore Cities and the other District Head Quarter towns and a sum of Rs.17,001/- so collected was sent to the Central Council.

6. A Leprosy Relief Committee for the State was constituted with the Senior Surgeon in Mysore as the Chairman and Convenor and ~~certain~~ the following official and non-official gentlemen as Members:-

1. The Secretary to Government, Medical Department.
2. The President, City Municipal Council, Bangalore.
3. Dr. M. Srinivasa Rao.
4. Dr. E. S. Krishnaswami Iyer.
5. Dr. A. K. Pani.
6. Dr. C. B. Rama Rao.
7. Rev. Mr. Thorp.
8. Mr. Gell Knight.
9. Mr. R. Gopalaswami Iyer.
10. Rev. Father Briand.
11. Mr. B. Abdur Rahmon, President, Bangalore District Board.
12. The Secretary, Civic and Social Progress Association.
13. The Medical Officer, Victoria Hospital
14. The Medical Officer, Leper Asylum.

The objects of the Committee are given in detail in Government Order No. G.2800-75/Med. 61-26-1, dated the 8th September 1926.

7. In the matter of propaganda, the action taken is the distribution of the card entitled "Truths about Leprosy" prepared by the Central Association and of copies of its translation in Kannada, Telugu, Tamil and Hindustani. A proposal to purchase a magic lantern with slides at a cost of Rs. 470/- was sanctioned by Government, the cost being met out of the allotment of an equal sum from the Central Association to the Mysore Committee. It is, however, ascertained that the magic lantern has not been purchased owing to the difficulty in securing the type of lantern recommended by the Secretary of the Committee.

8. Mr. S. Varada Iyengar, District Medical Officer, Bangalore District, and Ex-officio Superintendent, Leper Asylum, was ~~first~~ deputed for training at Calcutta in 1926. Two Sub Assistant Surgeons, Messrs. K. B. Narayana Rao and C. W. Gould, were deputed to Calcutta for training during the last official year. scheme for the training of Sub Assistant Surgeons for a period of three months at the local Leper Asylum under Mr. S. Varada Iyengar, has been sanctioned.

9. During the latter part of 1927, Mr. S. Varada Iyengar conducted a Leprosy Survey of Mandya and Malavalli Taluks of the Mysore District. Out of 465 persons examined in six villages, 58 persons were found to have been suffering from Leprosy. The provisions of the Mysore Lepers Regulation have been extend-

to these taluks. The question of providing more accommodation in the Asylum for the use of the patients from these parts is separately under consideration.

10. A Leper Out-patient Dispensary has been ordered to be opened in a rented building in this City to provide for the treatment of lepers.

11. On the financial side, the All India Association to whom the collections of various provinces were sent has invested the amount and is utilising only the interest derived therefrom. 50% of this is set apart for expenditure in connection with the training of doctors etc., and the rest is distributed among the provinces in proportion to the original contributions given by each. Thus Mysore State gets 1% and has so far got a sum of Rs. 1,870/- as detailed below:-

Year 1926	...	Rs. 470
Year 1927	...	Rs. 700
Year 1928	...	Rs. 700

In addition to this, a contribution of Rs. 24 is stated to have been received from the Mysore Horse,. No amount out of this has so far been spent. The whole amount is formed into a fund called the Mysore Leprosy Relief Fund. The question of adding to this from local contributions is under correspondence with the Deputy Commissioners of Districts and Presidents of District Boards.

12. A few of the booklets published by the Indian Council are herewith put up for kind perusal.

General and Revenue Secretariat.

New File No. of 192 .

Serial No.

19) Submitted with a draft letter with reference to paras 14, 16, 17 & 18 above.

20) In regard to para 15, it is submitted that the Association must bear cost of T.A. & halting allowance at rates permissible to them. In view of the shortness of the stay & the certainty of Calcutta, Govt sanctioned a daily allowance of Rs 4 in the case of the Parada Agency & Rs 3 each in the case of nurses Gonda & Nowgaon Dep. Draft for orders

5/9/28 MO

9/9/28

20) Issue the letter first & submit the file to me again for perusal of A with reference to this marginal query in para 15

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10 To the Senior Surgeon in Assam no. G 4504 dt 6.10.1928 Calls for further information about Leprosy Relief work in the Assam Rem[illegible]

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General and Revenue Secretariat. File No. 8 of 1927

Serial No.

21) Re-submitted after issue for submission to Third Member. Refer Para 20 above

DM KB 6/10/28

3rd member)

3rd member 8/10

VJ 8/10

Secn - This subject has been receiving continuous attention by

please note 9/10/28

RG 10/10 VJ 10/10

Secn A KB DM 10/10/28

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Serial No.

From the President,
Anti-Leprosy Campaign Committee
No L63 Dt 4-12-1929.

Request to send a copy of this office letter No 4504 Dt 6-10-28 & states that a report on the Leprosy relief work done so far has already been submitted with his office letter Dt 15-9-29

Sd with a draft. The letter refd to by the Secretariat relates to the rules about the formation of the Leprosy Relief Fund, which has been refd to in the last para of this office letter Dt 6-10-1928.

Issue 25 11/12

Issued vide Dy. No 7231 Dt 14-12-29.

Refer H.J

Lrbd. the information called for in this office letter Dt 6-10-1928 has been sent in regard to all items except the last one. In view of the issue of the rules regarding Anti-leprosy fund & its utilisation, the Committee can sanction the expenditure on account of the magic lantern & slides. No action appears to be necessary on this file at this stage.

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Section Med

File No. 8-27

Serial No. 19

No. 9450/

Diary No. of letter replied to 1464

General and Revenue Secretariat

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To The Superintendent

Date of issue 6/10/28.

Signed by Mr. M. D. V.

Sir,

With reference to note no. G. 8577/med 8-27-7 of 31. I am directed to request you to be so good as to state whether the provisions of the Mysore Lepers Regn. in the mandya & malavalli Talukes, I am directed to request you to be so good as to state whether the provisions of the Regn are being enforced and what action has so far been taken

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

(*Continuation sheet draft form.*)

In this connection, I am also to request you to explain the purchase of this magic lantern slides sanctioned in P. No. G. 11637-8 / med 63-15-1 G.B.S. 1917.

Dr. Ram Nath
P.M. 15/8
5/9 Keep Leg. 6/9.

Jay
5/9/18

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MYSORE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

S. SUBBA RAO, Esq.,
B.A., M.B.C.M., &c.

& President, Anti-Leprosy Campaign Committee,

OFFICE OF THE SENIOR SURGEON IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, dated 4/12/1929.

D.O. No. L. 63
Enc.

Telegrams.—
SENORGEN.

DEAR SIR,

With reference to your D.O.No.G.5500/Med, dated 29-10-29, I write to request you to kindly send me a copy of your letter No.4504 dated 6th October 28. I may add that a report on the Leprosy relief work done so far has already been submitted with this office No.B. 450 dated 16-9-29.

Yours sincerely,
S. Subba Rao

To
R.Ranga Rao,Esq., B.A.B.L.,
Chief Secretary to the Government
of Mysore, Bangalore.

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File No.

Serial No.

No. G 7231/S/1

Diary No. of letter replied to..... 14.41

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 14-12-29

Signed by Mr. N. D. Rao

To

The Deputy Leprosy
Campaign Committee
Bangalore.

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith a copy of letter No G 4504/med Dt 6.10.1928 about the Leprosy work in the State as requested in your Do letter No L 63 Dt 4-12-29

I have etc

for Secy to Govt

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